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Forever float that standard sheet!  
Where breathes the foe but fails before us?  
With Freedom's soil beneath our feet,  
And Freedom's banner streaming o'er us!

Correspondence of the Janesville Daily Gazette.

From the Eighth Regiment.

CAMP CURTIS, Sulphur Springs, Mo., December 13th, 1861.

MR. EDITORS.—Nothing of special importance has occurred since my last communication. We know of nothing definite in regard to our destination. The position of our camp is very fine, on the bank of the Mississippi, 23 miles south of St. Louis.

The health of the regiment is better than it was at the Knob. I visited the hospital yesterday; it is about two miles from the camp. The hospital, so far as medical attendance is concerned, is comfortably provided for. Some 50 are there at present; a number of them have no disease, but are prostrated by exposure and hardship.

I assure you we have had our hardships to endure. We have become used to camp for life. The temptations about us are great, but I think that the large majority will be wiser and better for this experience.

Those at home who have friends in the camp should write often; home memories and tender home words have their effect. The cry of "mail" brings the weary to their feet, and the dear and tender words that swim before our eyes waken memories not to subdue but to make still nobler our resolves.

In our knapsacks, about our persons, we all have some cherished token of thoughtful affection, and I assure you "the loved ones at home" are not forgotten.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 13.

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ROLLA, Mo., Dec. 15.

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CINCINNATI, Dec. 16.

The English news produced a profound sensation in commercial and financial circles, and the impression seems general that there is great cause to expect war with England; whilst all admit that if Wilkes was wrong in the Trout affair, due apologize should be made, but if right no humiliating concession ought to be entreated by a moment to England or any other power.

The news greatly unsettled the markets, and produced a temporary cessation of business, so that there was but little done in any department.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.

The excitement which was first caused by the warlike tone of the European news, is rapidly subsiding, and there is a general belief that war with England can easily be avoided without dishonor. The president, it is known, is strongly opposed to the adoption of a warlike policy against any foreign power under the present circumstances of the country.

SENATOR WILMOT.—Senator Wilmot of Pennsylvania has left Washington for home. He is very ill. His friends apprehend that his disease is cancer in the stomach.

MILITARY ITEMS.—Commissions have been issued.

To Geo. N. Richmond, captain, and Wallace Smith, 1st lieutenant, of the Columbia Co. Cavalry.

To C. W. Cook, as 1st lieutenant and adjutant of the 7th regiment.

To C. H. Port Colton, as 1st lieutenant of the Stoughton Light Guards, 7th regiment.

To Ed. W. Jones, as 2d lieutenant of Co. D, 7th regiment, vice Reed resigned.

To Geo. H. Bratton, as 2d lieutenant of Co. B, 7th regiment.

To Leonaire House as 2d lieutenant of Janesville Cavalry, 3d regiment.

Capt. George Stokes, Oshkosh, reports

65 men, and the company is assigned to the 18th regiment.

Orders issued authorizing the recruiting of two companies in this state for Col. F. P. Blair's Missouri artillery regiment.

OMITTED ITEMS.—The following items, which were in the report of Sunday night, were omitted in the report sent us yesterday.

The London Times understands that the dispatches to Lord Lyons, though couched in the firmest of language, presumes that the federal government will not refuse to make honorable reparation for an illegal act.

The Morning Star contains a statement that the instructions to Lord Lyons, demanding the restitution of the rebel commissioners, or take his departure from Washington, were premature and so exaggerated as to be virtually untrue.

DETROIT, Dec. 16.

The European news creates deep feeling, and the probabilities of a war with England are freely discussed. There is a general desire for our government to place itself right as regards law, when it will be sustained at every sacrifice.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 16.

The news from England produced a decided sensation in this section. The general sentiment is that our government must maintain its rights and its dignity regardless of English bluster.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 16.

House.—A bill passed to strike out from the pension rolls the names of persons who have taken up arms against the government, or in any manner aided the rebellion.

SENATE.—Mr. Grimes presented a petition that in consequence of the present rebellion, slavery be absolutely and unconditionally abolished. Mr. Ten Eyck offered a resolution that the present war is for the Union, according to the constitution; that the object of the war is to save the former and enforce the latter; that it was in the beginning, and should be to the last; that measures, extreme, radical, and disruptive in themselves, involving a common fate the loyal and disloyal, should not be resorted to; and that in suppressing treason, the government cannot prove traitor to the organized law of the land.

ANOTHER PRECEDENT.—Precedents for the arrest of Mason and Slidell multiply. The latest and probably the most potent is that of the British steamer Teviot, which carried as passenger the ex-president of Mexico, during the war between the United States and that country. Our government demanded an apology of England, which apology was promptly given.

LEANING ON A BROKEN REED.—Some of the rebel prisoners in Fort Warren evidently have confidence in the ultimate success of the rebellion, for they amuse themselves by singing, to the tune of "Dixie," a lot of doggerel, in which are the following lines:

"We have no feet, we have no Davis, but we put our trust in old Jed. Davis."

FORT WAYNE.—It is rumored that Fort Wayne, commanding the river approach to Detroit, is shortly to be put in a complete state of repair, ready for emergency.

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Last Night's Report.

HALIFAX, Dec. 16.

The London Times says that the principle on which the government rests its demand is that a British ship, until her violation of neutral rights is fully proved, must be held to British ground as much as if she were an actual piece of British soil, and the right of protection to all persons on board is as valid as on British territory. No such violation has been proved, or sought to be proved, against the Trent; consequently, the seizure of four persons, dragged from her decks, was entirely illegal. Slidell and Mason were, at the most, civil servants to a hostile power, and were traveling from one neutral power to another in a neutral vessel. If the government at Washington declares them rebels, then the right of asylum has been clearly violated. The Times concludes by adjuring the government and the northern people to do justice in the matter.

CONSOLS on the 29th opened at a further fall of 3 per cent, under the opinion of the law officers, and the heaviest increased and transactions took place at one per cent. decline, and 2 per cent. below the quotations before the news of the Trent affair.

UNITED STATES 5s, which were quoted before at 70s 8s, are nominal at 70s 7s in the discount market. The general rates continued at 2 1/2 per cent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 11.

The steamer Golden Age sailed for Panama, carrying four hundred soldiers and \$860,000 in treasure. Among the passengers is General Shields, who accepts a brigadier generalship.

The freshet from the recent rains extends throughout the valley and other portions of the state, doing immense damage to the farmers, carrying off bridges, fences, &c. Parts of Stockton and Marysville were overflowed as well as Sacramento.

The entire number of lives lost is not known. A number of brick buildings have fallen at Marysville. The loss of property at Sacramento is estimated at \$500,000. Communication with many districts is cut off and business suspended.

The weather for the past two days has been apparently settled, and the waters have receded.

The funeral of Colonel Baker is engrossing general attention at San Francisco today. The volunteers, firemen and the state military and civic organizations, with citizens generally, make up the largest procession ever witnessed here.

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THE CHARLESTON COURIER OF THE 13TH INST., GIVES A LIST OF BETWEEN 200 AND 300 SUFFERERS, AND SAYS THAT THE LOSS IS ESTIMATED AT \$5,000,000 TO \$7,000,000.

MR. RUSSELL, at whose factory the fire originated, thinks that it must have been occasioned by an incendiary, or by the negligence of the negroes. The Mill's House is only slightly damaged.

A message was sent to the confederate congress, on Friday, by Jeff. Davis, in reference to the fire at the theatre, on the 14th of December, A. D. 1861, upon reading and filing the petition of Jane Money, sister of John and David, and wife of John C. Chinn, who carried away the broken windows of the theatre, and caused the fire.

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| Oshkosh, through.                                   | 6:30 P.M.                           | 6:30 A.M.               |
| 10:30 P.M.  | 6:30 A.M.                           | 11:15 A.M.              |
| Madison, through.                                   | 6:30 P.M.                           | 6:30 A.M.               |
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| Minneapolis, through.                               | 12:45 P.M.                          | 9:30 A.M.               |
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| 2d    | Catherine McAllister, | Janesville, | 45   |
| 3d    | A. G. Gates,          | Janesville, | 50   |
| 4th   | Charles Ingles,       | Janesville, | 45   |
| 5th   | John C. Tyler,        | Janesville, | 45   |
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| 7th   | Austina Welsh,        | Janesville, | 12   |
| 8th   | McLellan,             | Janesville, | 74   |
| 9th   | Edmunda C. Young,     | Janesville, | 50   |
| 10th  |                       | Janesville, | 50   |
| 11th  | Maria R. Holt,        | Janesville, | 43   |
| 12th  | M. D. Dickey,         | Janesville, | 25   |
| 13th  | Wm. Martin,           | Janesville, | 30   |
| 14th  | Mary Graham,          | Janesville, | 10   |
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THE NATIONALS.—The concert last night was a perfect success. After defraying all the expenses, the net proceeds, which goes into the fund of the "Ladies Aid Society" of this city, amounted to \$40. The Nationals partially gave their services without compensation. We are no judges of music, but the thunders of applause that fell from the audience could have been elicited by no ordinary singers. May success attend them.

FOR SILVER SPOONS AND FORKS, call on WEBB & LEE.

CHRISTMAS or NEW YEAR'S PRESENT.— Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machine, a valuable and appropriate testimonial of a father to his daughter; a son to his mother; a husband to his wife; a brother to his sister.

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A GIRL WANTED.—A Norwegian girl, competent to do general housework in a small family, who can bring good recommendations, will find a good place by applying to B. BORNHEIM.

POSTPONED.—The select party proposed to be given at the Myers' House Thursday evening is postponed. It is intended to have it take place at some future time, of which notice will be given.

One reason of this postponement, we understand, is the occupation of the rooms of the Myers' House to-morrow evening for a somewhat private party of the officers of the 13th regiment and a few of our citizens, which was originally intended for Thursday evening, but has been changed to to-morrow evening.

The thanks of all concerned are due to the ladies of Emerald Grove and vicinity, for 31 pairs socks and 40 towels for the needy in the 13th regiment. Also to Rev. Mr. Curtis, Mr. Dean, Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Cheeney, for books and papers for our regimental library.

H. C. TILTON, Chaplain.

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### To Our Debtors.

It will be seen by a notice in another column, that on the first of January next there will be a change in the proprietorship of the Gazette. The NECESSITY of a settlement of ALL our accounts will be apparent to all who will give the subject their attention, and as our own convenience will be materially promoted by a settlement before the dissolution of the partnership, and the interest of no debtor will be injured by doing in season what must come at last, we hope there will be no request or attempt at delay. Mr. Wilcox will devote his time to this matter, and as there are a large number of persons to settle with, let each one be prepared when called on. No one will be turned out of the office if he calls here for that purpose.

FOR FIND WATCHES call on WEBB & LEE.

### ALL SORTS OF PARAGRAPHS.

The rebel ex-Senator Benjamin, of Louisiana, was a candidate for senator to Jeff. Davis' congress and defeated.

John Forsyth was defeated as candidate for mayor of Mobile, on the 2d inst., by a small majority.

Important military movements are progressing in Kentucky. Johnston's, Rousseau's, and McCook's brigades are concentrating at Munfordville; Thomas' division is bearing down from the east to get in Buckner's rear; and Mitchell's division moved yesterday towards Green River. Buckner, with 25,000 rebels, is prepared to resist the federal passage of that stream, and an engagement is imminent.

On Friday, Gens. Rains and Stein, with 6,000 rebels, were at Lexington, and Gen. Prentiss, with 3,000 Unionists, was near that point on the north side of the river. Heavy firing was heard in that vicinity on that day, indicating that an engagement was progressing.

There was a very destructive freshet in California last week. Sacramento, Marysville and Stockton suffered severely, the loss in the first named place being estimated at \$500,000. Immense damage was also done to farm property. At last advises the waters were receding.

Gen. Shields has accepted the brigadier-generalship offered him by the government, and is now on his way from California to Washington.

The West Virginia Convention have disposed of the boundary question. They include unconditionally in the state five counties in addition to the thirty-nine included by the ordinance of August last, and offer to take in six more provided they vote in favor of annexation.

Dr. John Jackson, without provocation, shot and severely wounded a soldier who went to his house "near Springfield to buy bay." Jackson was arrested and taken to Lebanon. He will probably be tried by military law. He was the Douglas elector of Ashland district, and brother to the man who shot Ellsworth.

A black man and a white man have each received twenty lashes for selling liquor to soldiers of the 40th Pennsylvania regiment, in presence of the regiment. Good results were apparent at the evening parade, where nine hundred soldiers appeared instead of seven hundred the night before.

J. H. Green, better known as "the reformed gambler," holds the position of captain in an Indiana regiment.

Brigadier General Ex-Bishop Polk, of the rebel army, is efficiently versed in the confederate tactics. He has learned to swear "like a trooper."

One evening last week, a member of one of the batteries at Racine, who has been laboring under a species of monomania, endeavored to drown himself by jumping into the lake opposite Camp Utley. The alarm was given in camp, when dozens of men rushed to the bank, and plunged in to rescue him. He was extricated with great difficulty, thoroughly chilled and exhausted. He was a resident of Oconomowoc.

CHICAGO AND NORTHWESTERN RAILWAY.—The following is a comparative statement of the earnings of this road for the month of November, in the years 1860 and 1861:

Passenger, \$32,000 31. Freight, \$22,200 43. Express, 40,332 57. Mail, 901 50. Miscellaneous, 1,000 50. Mileage of Cars, 12 45.

Total, \$81,235 08.

The following is a similar statement for eight months, from April 1st to December 1st:

Passenger, 1861, \$32,000 31. Freight, \$20,000 57. Express, 4,455 02. Mail, 13,054 52. Miscellaneous, 1,000 50. Mileage of Cars, 8,110 55.

Total, \$89,588 21.

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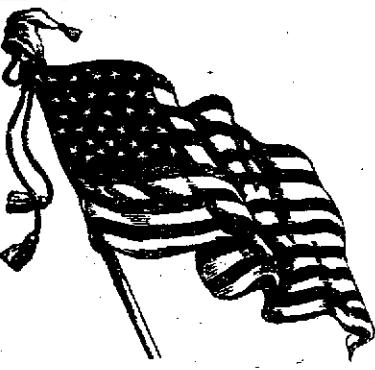


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City of Janesville.

Tuesday Evening, Dec. 17, 1861.

Official Paper of the City.



Forever float that standard sheet!  
Where breathes the foe but fails before us?  
With Freedom's soil beneath our feet,  
And Freedom's banner streaming o'er us!

Correspondence of the Janesville Daily Gazette.

From the Eighth Regiment.

CAMP CURTIS, Sulphur Springs, Mo.,

December 13th, 1861.

MESSES. EDTRS.—Nothing of special

importance has occurred since my last communication.

We know of nothing definite

in regard to our destination.

The position of our camp is very fine, on the bank of the

Mississippi, 23 miles south of St. Louis.

The health of the regiment is better than it

was at the Knob. I visited the hospital

yesterday; it is about two miles from the

camp. The hospital, so far as medical at-

tendance is concerned, is comfortably pro-

vided for. Some 50 are there at present;

a number of them have no disease, but are

prostrated by exposure and hardship.

I assure you we have had our hardships to

endure. We have become used to camp

fare and life. The temptations about us

are great, but I think the large major-

ity will be wiser and better for this ex-

perience. Those at home who have friends

in the camp should write often; home

memories and tender home words have their

effect. The cry of "mail" brings the weary

to their feet, and the dear and tender words

that swim before our eyes waken memories

not to subdue but to make still nobler our

resolves. In our knapsacks, about our per-

sons, we all have some cherished token of

thoughtful affection, and I assure you "the

loved ones at home" are not forgotten.

At present there are three of our compa-

ny in the hospital; Peter Anderson and

Wm. Kelly at the Knob, and James Smith

at the post hospital. Anderson and Smith

are getting well; Kelly has the small pox.

Quite a number have been unfit for duty

for a long time: Blood, Ide, Watson, Lee,

Hines, Love, Tif, and a number of others.

My health is first rate. I weigh 13 pounds

more than I ever did before in my life.

As soon as I find out anything definite in re-

gard to the "great expedition" down the river, I will let you know. I don't think

we shall have to wait long. Gun boats

continue to go down the river every day.

I assure you we are as anxious to do some-

thing as you are to have us, and no one has

read with more pleasure than I have what

you have to say about the "milk and water

manifestos and slavery protecting proclama-

tions." It is now time for dress parade,

and I must close. Yours truly,

JOHN A. WHITE.

FRON ITALY.—By the steamer Europa we have information that all Garibaldian officers in Switzerland have received orders to assemble at Geneva within a month.—

The Italian minister at Barcelona, in a re-

cent speech, expressed the hope that Italy

will triumph over all her enemies and

her flag wave over Venice and Rome.

SENATOR WILMOT.—Senator Wilmot of

Pennsylvania has left Washington for home. He is very ill. His friends apprehend that his disease is cancer in the stom-

ach.

MILITARY ITEMS.—Commissions have

been issued.—

Geo. N. Richmond, captain, and Wal-

lace Smith, 1st lieutenant, of the Columbia

Cavalry.

C. W. Cook, as 1st lieutenant and ad-

jutant of the 7th regiment.

To H. Port Colton, as 1st lieutenant of

the Stoughton Light Guards, 7th regiment.

To Ed. W. Jones, as 2d lieutenant of

Janesville Cavalry, 3d regiment.

Capt. George Stokes, Oshkosh, reports

65 men, and the company is assigned to

18th regiment.

Orders issued authorizing the recruiting

of two companies in this state for Col. F.

Blair's Missouri artillery regiment.

OMITTED ITEMS.—The following items,

which were in the report of Sunday night,

were omitted in the report sent us yesterday:

The London Times understands that the

dispatches to Lord Lyons, though couched in

the firmest of language, presumes that the

federal government will not refuse to

make honorable reparation for an illegal act.

The Morning Star contains a statement

that the instructions to Lord Lyons, de-

manding the restitution of the rebel com-

missioners, or take his departure from

Washington, were premature and so ex-

aggerated as to be virtually untrue.

During the whole war of the revolution,

there was no such thing as a general ex-

change of prisoners, nor could the belligerent

parties, in spite of repeated attempts, com-

to any agreement as to the terms on

which such an exchange could be effected.

Prisoners were frequently exchanged, but

only by the act of the commanders, or by

mutual consent, without any specific ar-

angement for that purpose.

ANOTHER PRECEDENT.—Precedents for

the arrest of Mason and Slidell aff-

air. The latest and probably the most potent is

that of the British steamer Teviot, which

carried as a passenger the ex-president of

Mexico, during the war between the United

States and that country. Our government

demanded an apology of England, which

apology was promptly given.

LEAVING ON A BROKEN REED.—Some of

the rebel prisoners in Fort Warren evidently

have confidence in the ultimate success

of the rebellion, for they amuse themselves

by singing, to the tune of "Dixie," a lot of

doggerel, in which are the following lines:

"We no see, we have no naves,

But we put our trust in old Jeff Davis."

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## LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

Arrival and Departure of Mails  
At the Janesville Post Office, from and after Nov. 1st, 1861:  
Arrive. Date. Depart.  
Chicago, through, 10:30 A.M. 6:30 P.M. 5:00 A.M.  
6:40 P.M. 12:30 P.M. 12:45 P.M.  
Oak Brook and way, 12:40 P.M. 4:30 P.M. 4:45 P.M.  
Milwaukee, through, 5:30 P.M. 7:30 A.M. 12:45 P.M.  
Madison and way, 4:30 P.M. 6:30 P.M. 6:45 P.M.  
Monroe and way, 10:30 A.M. 6:30 P.M. 6:00 P.M.  
Madison and way, 12:40 P.M. 8:30 A.M. 4:05 P.M.  
Belvidere and way, 5:30 P.M. 9:00 A.M. 4:05 P.M.  
Oconomowoc and Janesville to Milwaukee and Synder-  
ton, Tuesday and Friday at 6 P.M.; close, Wednesday and  
Saturday at 6 P.M.; open, Monday and Tuesday.  
Overland mail from Janesville to Milwaukee and Synder-  
ton, Tuesday and Friday at 6 P.M.; close, Wednesday and  
Saturday at 6 P.M.

J. M. BURGESS, Postmaster.

## A New Arrangement.

On the 1st of next January a change will be made in the proprietorship of the Gazette Office by the withdrawal of Mr. Bowen. This change will render absolutely necessary a settlement of the subscriptions and other accounts due the present firm. We hope our friends will give this matter their immediate attention, and leave as few debts as possible for settlement after the change is made. It will be easier and better to all concerned to settle before that time, as a settlement must be made.

### Third Regiment of Cavalry.

Colonel—Wm. A. Barstow.  
Lieutenant Colonel—R. H. White.  
1st Major—E. A. Calkins.  
2d Major—B. S. Hemming.  
3d Major—S. P. Schroeling.  
Quartermaster—A. W. Farr.  
Battalion Adjutants—John D. Welch and  
C. L. Noggle.

Waukesha Cavalry—Captain L. J. Shaw  
1st Lieutenant F. C. Kizer, 2d Lieutenant  
Byron H. Kilbourn.  
Winnebago Cavalry—Captain A. F. Da-  
vids, 1st lieutenant Wm. Wagner, 2d Lieut.  
L. B. Reed.

Captain N. L. Stout, 1st  
Lieutenant Julius Geisler, 2d Lieutenant  
Bartlett.

Janesville Cavalry—Captain Ira Justin,  
1st Lieutenant A. M. Pratt, 2d Lieutenant  
Leonard House.

Madison Cavalry—Captain Thomas Der-  
ry, 1st Lieutenant —— Perry, 2d Lieut.  
Jas. Campbell.

Green Lake Cavalry—Captain E. R. Stevens, 1st Lieutenant Jasen Daniels, 2d  
Lieutenant James B. Pond.  
Monroe Cavalry—Captain D. S. Damman,  
1st Lieutenant Robert Carpenter, 2d Lieut.  
Leonard Morley.

Barstow Guards, (Watertown)—Captain  
Ernest Off, 1st Lieutenant —— McDonald,  
2d Lieutenant C. T. Clother.

Union Cavalry Guard—Captain John P.  
Moore, 1st Lieutenant Hugh Calhoun, 2d  
Lieutenant Henry Goodsell.

Sauk County Cavalry—Captain D. S. Vit-  
tum, 1st Lieutenant —— Wood.

Over 600 men belonging to the foregoing  
companies have been mustered into the  
United States service, and are now in  
camp. Enough more will be in the present  
week to swell the number up to 1,000 men.

Webb & Lee have the latest styles of JEWELRY.

OAK HILL CEMETERY.—The following is  
the record of interments at Oak Hill Cemetery,  
for the month of October, 1861:

| DATE   | NAME                  | RELIGION   | AGE |
|--------|-----------------------|------------|-----|
| Oct. 1 | Ed. Willard F. Blount | Protestant | 71  |
| 2d     | Catherine McAllin     | Protestant | 61  |
| 2d     | Wm. A. G. Gates       | Protestant | 50  |
| 16th   | John C. Jenkins       | Protestant | 45  |
| 17th   | John D. Farr          | Protestant | 35  |
| 20th   | Ann Cooley            | Protestant | 45  |
| 27th   | August Welsh          | Protestant | 1   |
| 28th   | W. H. McAllin         | Protestant | 27  |
| 28th   | James O. Young        | Protestant | 55  |

for the month of November.

THE NATIONALS.—The concert last night  
was a perfect success. After defraying all  
the expenses, the net proceeds, which goes  
into the fund of the "Ladies Aid Society"  
of this city, amounted to \$40. The National  
parties gave their services without  
compensation. We are no judges of mu-  
sic, but the thunders of applause that fell  
from the audience could have been elicited  
by no ordinary singers. May success attend  
them.

FOR SILVER SPOONS AND FORKS, call on  
WEBB & LEE.

CHRISTMAS OR NEW YEAR'S PRESENT.—  
Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machine, a  
valuable and appropriate testimonial of a  
father to his daughter; a son to his moth-  
er; a husband to his wife; a brother to his  
sister.

This gift is profitable and available a  
lifetime. It is equal to ten seamstresses.  
An annual dividend of 100 to 500 per cent  
(on its cost) may be obtained in use—by its  
possessor. CYRUS MINER, Agent,  
delldld 1 Main Street, Janesville.

FOR HOLIDAY GOODS, call on  
WEBB & LEE.

A GIRL WANTED.—A Norwegian girl,  
competent to do general housework in a  
small family, who can bring good recom-  
mendations, will find a good place by ap-  
plying to B. BORNHEIM.

POSTPONED.—The select party proposed  
to be given at the Myers' House Thursday  
evening is postponed. It is intended to  
have it take place at some future time, of  
which notice will be given.

One reason of this postponement, we un-  
derstand, is the occupation of the rooms of the  
Myers' House to-morrow evening for a  
somewhat private party of the officers of  
the 13th regiment and a few of our citizens,  
which was originally intended for Thursday  
evening, but has been changed to to-morrow  
evening.

The thanks of all concerned are due to  
the ladies of Emerald Grove and vicinity,  
for 31 pairs socks and 40 towels for the  
needy in the 13th regiment. Also to  
Rev. Mr. Curtis, Mr. Dean, Mrs. Adams,  
Mr. and Mrs. Cheeney, for books and pa-  
pers for our regimental library.

H. C. TILTON, Chaplain.

If you want to see a splendid assortment of SILVER  
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## To Our Debtors.

It will be seen by a notice in another col-  
umn, that on the first of January next there  
will be a change in the proprietorship of the  
Gazette. The NECESSITY of a settle-  
ment of ALL our accounts will be ap-  
parent to all who will give the subject their  
attention, and as our own convenience will  
be materially promoted by a settlement before  
the dissolution of the partnership, and the  
interest of no debtor will be injured by doing  
in season what must come at last, we hope  
there will be no request or attempt at delay.  
Mr. Wilcox will devote his time to this matter,  
and as there are a large number of persons to  
settle with, let each one be prepared when called on. No one  
will be turned out of the office if he calls  
here for that purpose.

FOR FIVE WATCHES call on  
WEBB & LEE.  
ALL SORTS OF PARAGRAPHS.

The rebel ex-Senator Benjamin, of Louisi-  
ana, was a candidate for senator to Jeff.  
Davis' congress and defeated.

John Forsyth was defeated as candidate  
for mayor of Mobile, on the 2d inst., by a  
small majority.

Important military movements are pro-  
gressing in Kentucky. Johnston's, Rose-  
s, and McCook's brigades are concentrat-  
ing at Mansfield; Thomas' division is  
bearing down from the east to get in  
Buckner's rear; and Mitchell's division  
moved yesterday towards Green River.  
Buckner, with 25,000 rebels, is prepared to  
resist the federal passage of that stream,  
and an engagement is imminent.

On Friday, Gens. Rains and Stein, with  
6,000 rebels, were at Lexington, and Gen.  
Prentiss, with 3,000 Unionists, was near  
that point, on the north side of the river.  
Heavy firing was heard in that vicinity on  
that day, indicating that an engagement  
was progressing.

There was a very destructive freshet in  
California last week. Sacramento, Mary-  
ville and Stockton suffered severely, the loss  
in the first named place being estimated at  
\$50,000. Immense damage was also done  
to farm property. At last advices the wa-  
ters were receding.

Gen. Shields has accepted the brigadier-  
generalship offered him by the government,  
and is now on his way from California to  
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Dr. John Jackson, without provocation,  
shot and severely wounded a soldier who  
went to his house near Springfield to buy  
hay. Jackson was arrested and taken to  
Lebanon. He will probably be tried by  
military law. He was the Douglas elector  
of Ashland district, and brother to the man  
who shot Ellsworth.

A black man and a white man have each  
received twenty lashes for selling liquor to  
soldiers of the 46th Pennsylvania regiment,  
in presence of the regiment. Good results  
were apparent at the evening parade, where  
nine hundred soldiers appeared instead of  
seven hundred the night before.

J. H. Green, better known as "the re-  
formed gambler," holds the position of cap-  
tain in an Indiana regiment.

Brigadier General Ex-Bishop Polk, of  
the rebel army, is efficiently versed in the  
confederate tactics. He has learned to swear  
"like a trooper."

One evening last week, a member of one  
of the batteries at Racine, who has been  
laboring under a species of monomania,  
endeavored to drown himself by jumping  
into the lake opposite Camp Utley. The  
alarm was given in camp, when dozens of  
men rushed to the bank, and plunged in to  
rescue him. He was extricated with great  
difficulty, thoroughly chilled and exhausted.  
He was a resident of Oconomowoc.

CHICAGO AND NORTHERN RAILWAY.—  
The following is a comparative statement  
of the earnings of this road for the month  
of November, in the years 1860 and 1861:

Passenger, \$32,000 21. 1860. 1861.  
Freight, 46,832 57. 1860. 45,192 53.  
Express, 30,000 05. 1860. 30,000 25.  
Mail, 1,985 23. 1860. 1,985 23.  
Miscellanea, 12 48. 1860. 12 48.  
Mileage of Cars, 558 45. 1860. 558 45.

Total, \$31,295 68. 1860. \$31,291 29.

The following is a similar statement for  
the months of April 1st to December  
1st:

Passenger, 1861. 1860. Increase.  
\$20,022 57. 17,587 67. \$13,934 55.  
Freight, 30,000 05. 31,740 40. 8,701 62.  
Express, 6,250 00. 6,250 00. 0.  
Mail, 13,054 64. 12,508 32. 646 22.  
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